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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 22, 2005,
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below:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins
on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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